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DEPT PASS ERDA FOR SIEVERING

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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL NUCLEAR POLICY STATEMENT; US-USSR ATOMIC ENERGY COOPERATION

REF: (A) STATE 068973, (B) STATE 066008

1. IN CONNECTION WITH REFTEL A, WE WOULD APPRECIATE SOONEST COMMENTS AND CLARIFICATION FROM DEPARTMENT AND ERDA ON HOW THIS POLICY WILL AFFECT COOPERATIVE ACTIVITIES UNDER THE US-USSR ATOMIC ENERGY BILATERAL.

2. EMBASSY PERCEIVES FOLLOWING TO BE DIRECTLY AFFECTED:

(A) THE FAST BREEDER REACTOR PROGRAM, 07.02, UNDER WHICH WE AFFIRMED INTEREST IN TESTING A CLINCH RIVER BREEDER TYPE STEAM GENERATOR IN THE SOVIET BN-350 FAST BREEDER IN SHEVCHENKO DURING THE FOURTH MEETING OF THE US-USSR JOINT COMMITTEE ON ATOMIC ENERGY DECEMBER 9, 1976.
(B) HYBRID FUSION REACTOR. WE HAVE RECEIVED BUT NOT YET TRANSMITTED TO THE SOVIETS THE SIEVERING LETTER TRANSMITTED REF B STATING THAT ERDA WOULD HAVE NO OBJECTION TO THE PLANNED JOINT WORK BY THE ELECTRIC POWER RESEARCH INSTITUTE AND THE KURCHATOV ATOMIC ENERGY INSTITUTE IN THE FIELD OF FUSION-FISSION HYBRIDS. WE ARE DELAYING

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